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BACK TO CAMDEN

Congregation's Regret at Losing Their Beloved Pastor.

Rev. J. Madison Hare, of Parly Memorial Baptist Church, on Grove street, announced to his congregation last evening that he would resign his office as pastor of the church in about two weeks, as he had decided to accept the call tendered to him by the people of the Linden Baptist Church of Camden, N. J. He announced that he would send notice to the clerk of the church, Mr. Walter D. Haisler, at the next meeting, and that he would not notify any of his new charge of his action until he resigned from the pulpit of Parly Memorial.

When asked last evening when he expected to leave the city, Dr. Hare said: "I do not know just when I will go, but before I leave this city I will prepare a statement for the papers."

The Rev. Mr. Hare has been in charge of Parly Memorial Church since October, 1899, and during his stay as pastor of that church, the relations between him and his flock have been of the pleasantest kind, and the members have been heartily and loyally attached to him. He has been much affected when Mr. Hare declared his intention of leaving them.

The church at the present time is in a good financial condition, and the membership has grown wonderfully during the three years Mr. Hare has had charge. There has been considerable change made both to the interior and exterior of the church edifice under the guidance of Mr. Hare, and today it is one of the handsomest churches in the county.

This is in a measure due also to the excellent work performed by the members of the church, who have been heartily and loyally attached to him. He has been much affected when Mr. Hare declared his intention of leaving them.

Before he came to this city Mr. Hare was chaplain of the Third Regiment, N. G. N. J.

One of the churches most prominent in foreign mission work is the First Presbyterian Church on Emory street, this city. It spends annually hundreds—sometimes thousands—of dollars in this work, and is supporting several stations in foreign lands. Among these is the Chinese mission of Yung Kong, where Dr. Herr's church is assisting to erect an hospital, and the board of foreign missions desire that this church should indicate the title by which it is best known. It contains a great board of the church suggests that it be called the Forman Memorial Hospital, in memory of Doctor Samuel R. Forman, late elder. It is proposed that a tablet be erected in the building with a suitable inscription, and the funds necessary for this have been promised. The contributors to the hospital fund are invited to meet at prayer meeting on Wednesday night, March 5.

Since the last report, \$18.81 has been added to the hospital fund, which now amounts to \$200.00. The balance of \$9.14 to complete the necessary sum. An effort will be made to raise this by the end of March so that the Board may be enabled to appropriate the funds necessary to complete the hospital building. Last week the Herr Bible Class collected \$1.61.

The following is an extract from a letter from the Rev. W. H. Dobson, the Young Kong Missionary, to the Rev. Dr. Herr of this city, under date of January 8, 1932:

"This building of houses in China is no pastime. It is a multitude of small annoyances and deceptions coupled with all the minor details of explaining a foreign method of architecture to uneducated native country missions. At times I had to play the trick for them."

"I am glad to say that we expect to begin on the hospital at once, if the rains do not come too early. It will be impossible to build both sections with the amount of cash on hand. We are waiting for the completion of the ship has reached the point where it is required."

The class treasurer, George F. Perkins, Jr., makes the following report for the past year, from March 1, 1931, to March 1, 1932:

Balance March 1, 1931..... \$50.21

Paid for building, Jan. 1, 1932..... 14.48

Late returns, concert, Dec. 1931..... 18.60

Total..... \$53.33

Revenue stamps..... 50

Donations Yung Kong Hospital..... 10.70

Printing Postals..... 44.32

Class social evenings..... 12.37

Total..... \$119.19

UNION BIBLE CLASS

The Union Bible Class, led by Rev. Dr. M. Stearns of Philadelphia, will be held in Herring Chapel, Montgomery street, New York City, on Friday, March 4, at 7:30 P. M. Memory verses are Phil 1:10-12. All are welcome.

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